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Catalogue of

“DUTCH BULBS”

(Grown in America)

TULIPS

NARCISSI

HYACINTHS

CROCUS

The Northwest Bulb Co., Inc.

Box 117

Portland, Oregon

NURSERY: COLUMBIA BOULEVARD, at MISSISSIPPI

During April and May our grounds are ablaze with color—Tulips, Narcissi, Hyacinths, etc. From July to November we have thousands of Gladioli. We welcome the public at all times to inspect our flowers and bulbs. Drive out Union Avenue to Columbia Boulevard and thence west (on paved road) three-fourths mile. Our nursery adjoins Columbia Tire Corporation's plant.

INSTRUCTIONS

At prices herein quoted, we will send all bulbs PREPAID by express or parcel post, to any point in the United States or Canada.

Please furnish complete address.

We will be glad to give special quotations on large orders.

One to five bulbs will be supplied at one-tenth of dozen rate; six or more at dozen rate; fifty or more at hundred rate.

We will not substitute without your permission. It is often advisable, especially late in the season, to name one or two other varieties as substitutes in case we cannot fill your order complete as given.

In case of error or dissatisfaction of any kind please notify us immediately so that we can adjust the same.

Our Guarantee—We guarantee our bulbs to be true to name and will gladly replace any that might accidentally prove otherwise. We guarantee that the bulbs will reach you in a first-class, growing condition but cannot guarantee any definite blooming results as you must readily appreciate the impracticability of so doing with so much dependent upon soil, fertilizer, weather, care and other conditions, over which we have no control.

We cannot guarantee to fill your order after November 15th, as we aim to plant all our surplus stock after that date.

HYACINTHS

These are among the most popular and satisfactory bulbs grown. Their wax-like, bell-formed flowers, borne in artistic trusses, are of matchless beauty and wondrous fragrance. Especially fine for pot culture in the house.

Bulbs offered are of first size and of the best quality.	Each	Doz.
Grande Blanche —Blush white, large bells-----	\$.20	\$2.00
King of Blues —Dark blue, late -----	.20	2.00
L'Innocence —Finest pure white -----	.20	2.00
Sarah Bernhardt —Delicate rose -----	.20	2.00
Queen of Blues —Light porcelain blue -----	.20	2.00
Yellow Hammer —Golden yellow -----	.20	2.00

CROCUS

Nothing is quite so charming as a generous quantity of these remarkable flowers blooming in the lawn or border during the early weeks of Spring. They are also good for pot culture.

	Doz.	100
Blue and Purple —Mixed shades of-----	\$.35	\$2.25
Light Lavender -----	.35	2.25
Striped —Various shades with center stripe-----	.35	2.25
White —Mixed shades of-----	.35	2.25
Yellow —Extra large (Mammoth) variety-----	.50	3.50
Mixed —All colors and sizes.. -----	.35	2.25

EARLY SINGLE TULIPS

This type covers a wide range of color and vary in height from 6 to 18 inches. Bloom from Mid-March to late April here with us. Especially desirable for beds, pot culture or borders. Extremely easy to grow.

	Doz.	100
Chrysolora —Clear golden yellow. Extra large flower. A splendid variety for bedding purposes. (12-15 inches)-----	\$.75	\$5.00
Cottage Maid —Bright pink with white edge and base of petals a rich cream. Fine for bedding. (12 inches)-----	.80	5.35
Couleur de Cardinal —Brilliant crimson scarlet, yellow base; large flower on strong stems. Superb for bedding. Good forcer. (13 inches)---	1.00	6.50
Cramoise Brilliante —Glowing scarlet with yellow base. Large, bold flower, perfect form. Good forcer. (13 inches)-----	.75	5.00
Duchess de Parma —Deep orange maroon with irregular deep yellow border. Extra large flower. One of best bedding sorts. (15 inches)	.90	6.00
Dusart —Rich scarlet with greenish yellow center-----	.65	
Eleonora —An unusual shade of purplish violet-----	.70	4.75
Frederick Moore —Bright orange, shaded scarlet. Fine bedding and forcing variety. Sweet scented. (18 inches)-----	.85	5.65
Golden Queen —Our earliest bloomer. Rich yellow on extra good stems. Extra fine for cut flowers or for forcing-----	.85	5.65
Keizerskroon —Probably the most popular bedding and forcing variety. Scarlet with distinct yellow edge. (16 inches)-----	1.00	6.50
L'Immaculee —Extra early white. Yellow base-----	.65	4.40
La Reine —One of the best white sorts. Good forcer. (14 inches)-----	.65	4.40
Pink Beauty —One of the finest varieties of recent introduction. Bright rose pink with broad white marking on each petal. Enormous flower of superb shape, carried on strong stems. (13 inches.) Very late---	1.20	8.00
President Lincoln —Large flower of clear, magenta violet. Fine for bedding and forcing. (12 inches)-----	.85	5.65
Prince of Austria —Brilliant orange scarlet, yellow base. Sweet scented. Extra fine bedding and forcing variety. (15 inches)-----	.90	6.00
Proserpine —Rosy carmine with blueish-white center. An enormous globular flower. Very popular for bedding or forcing. (14 inches)--	1.00	6.50
Rising Sun —Exquisite, large, golden yellow flower. The best yellow bedding tulip. Fine for late forcing-----	1.00	6.50
Vermillion Brilliant —Bright, glittering scarlet, with yellow base; extra fine for forcing or bedding. An old favorite. (12 inches)-----	.90	6.00
White Swan —Pure white. Late. Large egg-shaped flowers, gracefully drooping at times. Distinctly popular. (16 inches)-----	.85	5.65
Choice Mixture —Containing the above and many other single early varieties. A very fine mixture-----	.60	4.00

All bulbs offered in this catalogue except Hyacinths are grown by us here in the famous Willamette Valley of Oregon and are second to none in quality, and can be shipped any time after August 15th, a month earlier than the Holland stocks arrive in America. This year we are growing approximately ten acres of bulbs, constituting one of the largest plantings in this section.

LATE SINGLE TULIPS

Often called "Cottage" or "May Flowering." This extremely hardy class of tulips are especially adapted for permanent, hardy flower borders, when planted in clumps. For cutting they are greatly prized, due to their long stems and graceful habits. Among this type will be found some of the most striking flowers of the entire tulip family. (Height of flower given in parenthesis.)

	Doz.	100
Bouton D'Or —Deep, golden yellow with black anthers; medium sized flower. Extra fine for cutting and late forcing. (19 inches)-----	.75	\$5.00
Caledonia —Bright orange scarlet with yellow center, marked greenish black. Large striking cup-shaped flowers. (20 inches)-----	.75	5.00
Coronation Scarlet —Brilliant scarlet. Black eye-----	1.00	6.50
Ellen Willmot —Canary yellow, globular flowers with slightly reflexed petals on strong stems. (22 inches)-----	.85	5.65
Fairy Queen —Soft, rosy lilac, broadly margined amber yellow. Extra large flowers of perfect form. Very striking. (20 inches)-----	.75	5.00
Fulgens —Clear crimson with white center; long flower with reflexing petals on stiff, tall stems. (25 inches)-----	.85	
Fawn (The) —A gem among late tulips, owing to its dainty color; pale rosy fawn, changing to cream, flushed blush rose-----	.80	5.35
Gesneriana Spathulata —Rich crimson scarlet with blue-black base. One of the most popular varieties. (24 inches)-----	.85	5.65
Grenadier —A grand tulip. Dazzling orange red. Large flower on extra tall stems-----	1.25	
Inglescombe Pink —Soft, rosy pink with salmon flush; pale blue base. Large globular flower. (24 inches)-----	.80	5.35
Inglescombe Scarlet —Intense vermillion-red with black base; large, showy flower on strong stem. Height, 20 inches.-----	.80	5.35
Inglescombe Yellow —Glossy canary yellow, large globular flower of perfect form. Called the "Yellow Darwin." (24 inches)-----	.80	5.35
La Candeur —Late white with faint pink flush-----	.75	5.00
La Merveille —Extra large blooms of bright scarlet, suffused apricot orange. Long pointed petals. (20 inches)-----	.85	5.65
Luna —Creamy white novelty. Extra choice-----	3.00	
Macrosphila —Crimson scarlet with black base, edged yellow, deliciously scented. (18 inches)-----	.65	4.40
Marvel —Salmon-rose, bordered yellow. Inside old gold-----	2.00	
Moonlight —Soft luminous canary yellow. Long oval-shaped flower with reflexed petals. Extra fine. Late bloomer-----	1.00	6.50
Norham Beauty —Purplish lilac, edged bronzy yellow, olive center-----	.75	5.00
Orange King —Glistening deep orange, shaded rose. Sweet scented. Extra large flower. Very striking. (24 inches)-----	.75	5.00
Picotee —The most popular late tulip. Creamy white, margined deep rose. Large flower with reflexed petals. (20 inches)-----	.80	5.35
Retroflexa —A very effective light yellow tulip with strongly recurving petals. Fine for cutting. (16 inches)-----	.80	5.35
Sirene —Exquisite new creation. Delicate cerise pink with pure white base. Extremely reflexed petals-----	1.50	
Union Jack —Light violet, feathered purple, with a few markings of white. Large flower. Very striking novelty-----	.85	
Extra Fine Mixed —Containing many of the best kinds-----	.60	4.00

DARWIN TULIPS

These are unquestionably one of the finest flowers for cutting, as they grow from 20 to 36 inches in height, have sturdy stems and last several days in water. They are likewise fine for the border and several varieties force to perfection.

	Doz.	100
Afterglow—Soft apricot-orange, tinged pink. Extra-----	\$3.00	
Baron de Tonnaye—Bright rose margined blush rose. Very distinct and extremely fine for bedding. (24 inches)-----	.90	\$6.00
Bartigon—Extra choice carmine red. Grand forcer-----	1.10	7.25
Bleu Aimable—Bright violet purple, shaded steel blue-----	1.00	6.50
Centenaire—Rich violet rose. Immense flower-----	1.25	
City of Harlem—The largest of the scarlet colored Darwins. Brilliant scarlet with white center. Extra (35c each)-----		
Clara Butte—Most popular of all Darwins. Soft salmon rose, pink of medium height. Very beautiful. (20 inches)-----	.80	5.35
Copeland, William—Extra early lilac rose. Fine for forcing. (24 inches)	1.00	6.50
Dream—Violet mauve, silvery lilac suffusion near edge of petals. (30 inches)-----	.90	6.00
Europe—Glowing salmon scarlet, shaded rose; medium flower on strong stem. Splendid forcer-----	.90	6.00
Faust—Dark, satiny purple, blue base; extra large flower. (30 inches)-----	1.10	7.25
George Mau—Deep carmine rose, edged pale rose, with white base, marked blue. Beautifully shaped bloom. (26 inches)-----	.80	
Hitchcock—Glowing vermilion with blue base-----	.90	6.00
Kate Greenway—White, slightly flushed lilac rose, perfect shaped flower of medium size. Very late. (24 inches)-----	.75	5.00
King Harold—Deep purple-red with white base, a beautiful garden variety of lasting qualities. Good forcer. (24 inches)-----	1.00	6.50
La Candeur—Lovely soft white, slightly tinged, anthers black; fine erect, globular flower. Best of its color. (24 inches)-----	.80	5.35
La Tulip Noire—Choice novelty. Deep garnet maroon, nearly black. Exquisitely scented. Fine forcer. (25 inches)-----	.90	6.00
Pe Notre—Extra fine pink forcer. Grand novelty-----	1.25	8.25
Perfection—Soft, carmine rose, very warm and brilliant color. A beautiful tulip for outdoor culture. (21 inches)-----	.85	5.65
Madame Krelage—Bright lilac rose, margined pale silvery rose, inside rose pink. Large flower. Good forcer. (24 inches)-----	.90	6.00
Margaret—Silvery pale rose, inside soft pink-----	.75	5.00
Mr. Farncombe Sanders—Fiery rose scarlet, inside vivid cherry-scarlet with white center marked blue, large flowers of perfect shape. One of the finest reds. Splendid forcer. (25 inches)-----	1.00	6.50
Mrs. Potter Palmer—Bright, purplish violet, very striking-----	.85	5.65
Petrius Hondius—Bright, carmine rose, the most brilliant color in Darwins. Extra fine-----	1.25	8.25
Pride of Harlem—Brilliant rosy carmine with blue base. An extra large flower of superb form and beauty; sure forcer. (32 inches)-----	.80	5.35
Prof. Rauwenhoff—Full cherry rose with salmon glow inside. Enormous flower on strong stems. Fine for forcing. (28 inches)-----	1.00	6.50
Psyche—Rich, rosy pink, inside shaded silvery rose with pale blue base. Very delicate shade. Fine forcer. (28 inches)-----	.85	5.65
Rev. Ewbark—Vivid heliotrope-lilac, lighter at margin, darkening toward base. Magnificent flower. Especially good forcer. (20 inches)	.75	5.00

	Doz.	100
Salmon King —Rich, deep salmon-rose, shaded scarlet-----	\$.80	\$5.35
Sieraad van Flora —Bright red with blue base, magnificent flower of very striking and distinct color. Fine forcer-----	.90	6.00
Valentin —Light violet with blue center. Bold flower-----	1.00	6.50
William Pitt —Dark scarlet with purple shade on outer petals. Extra fine, large flower-----	1.25	
Yellow Darwin —(See Ingelscombe Yellow).		
Zulu —Rich velvety purple black, large egg-shaped flower-----	.80	5.35
Mixed Darwins —Containing many varieties-----	.65	4.40

BREEDER TULIPS

This wonderful race of tulips are all too little known here in America. They have flowers of enormous size, in the most gorgeous shades of yellow, gold, terra cotta, maroon, violet and purple. Of exceptionally vigorous growth, these tulips are especially fine either for the border or for cut flowers.

	Doz.	100
Abd-El-Kader —A very charming sort. Dark bronze bordered light bronze, very fine for bedding. Good forcer-----	\$2.00	
Apricot —Bronze, shaded apricot, large flower-----	1.25	8.25
Attraction —Light blue-violet, white base, inside brilliant purple. Extra fine for forcing or bedding-----	1.25	
Bachus —Extra fine. Dark violet. Large flower-----	3.00	
Bronze Queen —Soft buff, inside golden bronze. Large flower of sturdy habit. Extremely popular-----	.90	6.00
Cardinal Manning —Dull wine-red flushed rosy bronze. Extra large flower. (28 inches)-----	1.00	6.50
Don Pedro —Beautiful coffee brown marks on inside; rich mahogany; large flower; good forcer-----	2.50	
Gold Finch —Tortoise shell, bronze and orange-----	3.00	
Hamlet —Dark bronze, bordered bronzy yellow. Large flower-----	1.00	6.50
James Watt —Bluish bronze; enormous flower-----	3.50	
Jaune d'Oeuf —Orange red, inside orange, good forcer-----	1.00	
Jules Favre —Dark brown, rich shade-----	1.00	
Louis XIV —Wonderfully dark purple, flushed bronze with broad mar- gin of golden brown. Extremely choice-----	(40c each)	
Lucifer —Bright terra cotta orange, very large-----	3.00	
Madras —Dark bronzy yellow and old gold-----	1.00	
Panorama —Reddish brown, beautifully shaped flower. One of the best for bedding and early forcing-----	1.25	8.25
Prince Albert —Dark olive yellow-----	1.75	
Prince of Orange —Orange scarlet edged light yellow-----	1.50	
Roi Soleil —Rich dark violet flamed bronze. Extra choice-----	(50c each)	
St. James —Chestnut brown, flushed bronze passing into gold. Large globular flower. (26 inches)-----	3.00	

DOUBLE TULIPS

Mr. Van der Hoef —The pure yellow Murillo. Fine novelty. Early---	1.25
Murillo —Delicate rose pink. Extra fine forcing variety. Early-----	.80
Peach Blossom —Brilliant rosy pink. Sport from Murillo. Early-----	1.25
Rubra Maxima —Large vermilion scarlet. Fine bedder, forcer. Early---	.90
Tea Rose —Primrose with pale rose flush. Large flowers. Early-----	.85
Titian —Scarlet, edged yellow. Excellent for forcing. Early-----	.85
Turban Violet —Beautiful shade of violet. Good forcer. Early-----	.90
Blue Flag —Soft violet purple. Fine for bedding and cutting. Late---	.85

NARCISSI

This is the last year for open importations of Narcissi from the Old Country. Hereafter America will have to depend largely on Oregon, Washington and California for this most popular flowering bulb and many acres will be planted accordingly. Below you will find listed one of the largest collections in the United States.

Note—The Daffodil bulbs listed here are of the extra large mother stock and should not be confused with the smaller round bulbs offered at cheaper prices.

DAFFODILS

	Doz.	100
Cleopatra —Magnificent variety, very broad yellow imbricated perianth and long bold deep yellow trumpet-----		(40c each)
Emperor —One of the finest and most popular daffodils. Enormous flowers with deep golden trumpet and primrose perianth. Fine for pot culture. Large double nosed bulbs-----	\$1.75	\$12.00
Empress —A fitting mate to Emperor in color. Snow white perianth, rich yellow trumpet. Double nosed bulbs-----	1.75	12.00
Glory of Leiden —Large bold yellow trumpet with perianth somewhat lighter, broad and overlapping. Sturdy foliage-----	1.50	10.00
Glory of Noordwyk —Tremendously large flower. Yellow trumpet with sulphur-yellow petals. A grand bicolor-----	1.25	8.25
Glory of Sassenheim —One of the earliest Bicolors. Extra large, tall flower. Extra fine -----	2.00	13.00
Golden Spur —Extra early, large, bold, rich golden yellow flowers; foliage broad. Most popular variety for forcing and naturalizing in grass and the border. Large double nosed bulbs-----	1.75	12.00
King Alfred —The aristocrat among daffodils. Rich golden yellow flowers of enormous size. Height, 24 inches. Especially recommended. Extra large mother bulbs-----	4.00	28.00
Mad. de Graff —Opens with soft primrose trumpet passing to white, forces well and is exceptionally fine for naturalizing in grass. Large mother bulbs -----	1.50	10.00
Mme. Plomp —Pure white solid perianth, golden yellow trumpet, flower very large, well formed-----	1.50	10.00
Victoria —Trumpet clear yellow, very large, perianth creamy white. Bold erect flower. Height, 18 inches. Double nosed bulbs-----	1.75	12.00
(Barrii Type)		
Short cupped Daffodil, cup measuring less than one-third the length of perianth segments.		
Albatross —A large, handsome flower, perianth white, cup pale yellow, frilled, edged orange red. Height, 18 inches-----	1.25	8.25
Blood Orange —Pale sulphur overlapping perianth; cup of orange red, fluted at edge. Very choice-----	.90	6.00
Conspicuous —Large soft yellow perianth, short cup edged orange scarlet. Very free flowering. Large mother bulbs-----	1.00	6.50
Firebrand —Creamy white perianth with soft lemon shading at base of brilliant scarlet cup. Height, 16 inches-----	1.00	6.50
Nannie Nunn —Remarkably striking flower, rounded, yellow perianth, broad cup of intense vermillion scarlet. Extra novelty-----	(\$1.25 each)	
Red Beacon —Most lovely flower; ivory white perianth, slightly shaded sulphur at base, prettily fluted cup, intense orange red-----	3.00	
Seagull —Pure white perianth with canary yellow cup, edged apricot. Fine for pots and bowls. Height, 20 inches-----	1.25	8.25

Sunrise—Very distinct, white perianth with broad primrose bar in center of each petal. Orange, yellow cup with fiery scarlet margin. Beautiful novelty----- (75c each)

(Incomparabilis Type)

Large chalice cupped daffodils with cup or crown measuring one-third to nearly the length of perianth.

	Doz.	100
Croesus —Magnificent flower of great substance with large rounded and imbricated primrose perianth and wide expanded crown of deep red-----		(\$2.00 each)
Homespun —Perfectly shaped flower of soft primrose yellow. Exceedingly beautiful-----	\$1.50	\$10.00
Lucifer —Large white perianth, with fiery orange red cup. Strong grower and free bloomer. Height, 18 inches-----	.90	6.00
Sir Watkin —The giant Welsh Daffodil. Wide sulphur perianth, with deep yellow cup. Height, 22 inches. One of the finest varieties for pots, beds, borders or for naturalizing-----	1.75	12.00
Torch —Large, twisted, yellow perianth; bright orange red crown. Extra fine novelty-----	1.75	12.00

(Leedsii Type)

The fragrant star narcissi with large chalice cup.

Evangeline —Pure white perianth and lemon yellow cup. Extra large and striking flowers-----	.85	5.65
Gem —Most popular pure white variety-----	.85	5.65
Mrs. Langtry —Very fine flowering with broad white perianth and large white cup, edged bright yellow-----	.75	5.00

(Poeticus Type)

These have snowy white petals and a small flattened crown, yellow or lemon edged with scarlet. Very fragrant.

Glory of Lisse —Very much superior to the well-known Poeticus in shape, substance and color-----	1.25	8.25
Ornatus —Pure white perianth. Yellow cup margined scarlet. Large double nosed bulbs-----	.90	6.00
Pheasants Eye —Reflexed white perianth, eye edged orange scarlet. Extremely fragrant. Fine for cutting-----	.75	5.00
Double —Large, double, snowy white sweet scented Gardenia-like blossoms. Extra fine for cutting late-----	1.25	8.25

(Poetaz Type)

These are hardy hybrids between "Polyanthus" and "Poeticus," very vigorous, bearing profusely clusters of very fragrant flowers.

Elvira —Long, graceful stems, bearing 3 or 4 flowers with broad white petals, and a golden yellow cup edged orange-----	1.10	7.25
Irene —Perianth or petals sulphur yellow, changing to light yellow, one of the finest and deepest yellow-----	1.10	7.25

Jonquils

A small flowering type of Narcissi which are highly prized for their extreme fragrance and graceful golden blossoms. Rush-like foliage. Fine for forcing.

Single —Rich buttery yellow. Most fragrant-----	.75	5.00
Odorus Camp. Plenus —Bears large clusters of double yellow flowers of elegant form on extra long stems-----	1.00	6.50